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REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, DC 20231

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Sir:

In reply to the Examiner's Office Action dated July 16, 2002, the following remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 6-11, 13-14, 16-17 and 19-21 without prejudice or disclaimer of the subject matter contained therein.